Agenda

July 10, 2007

Warren Town Council Meeting

Town Hall

514 Main Street

6:30 PM

Consent Agenda- all items listed with an asterisk (*) are considered to be routine by the Town Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a council member or citizen request in which event the item will be withdrawn from the General Order of Business and considered in the normal sequence on the agenda.

6:30 PM

RHODE ISLAND RESOURCE RECOVERY-Mike Mesolella

7:00 PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

PRESENTATION:

Outstanding Citizen Award to Tracy Wazecha from the Bristol County

Elks Lodge 1860

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

Acceptance of June 12, 2007 minutes

CONSENT AGENDA:

*P-1, *P-2, *P-3, *P-4, *P-5, *P-6 & *P-7

ORDINANCES:

O-1

Ordinance Relating to Wind Turbines.

The Town Council of the Town of Warren hereby ordains that the Code of Ordinances, Town of

Warren, Rhode Island, is hereby amended by adding a section, to be numbers, which

shall read as follows:

- a) The Town Manager will advise the Warren Town Council regarding the appropriateness of locating a wind turbine on any land that may be purchased in the future by the Town of Warren for "open space" or any land currently in agricultural use for which the Town of Warren may purchase development rights.
- b) This section shall take affect upon passage.

Chapter Licenses & Business Regulations. Article II, Alcoholic Beverages, Taverns & Victualling Houses.

Ordinance Relating to Consumption and Possession of Alcohol in Unlicensed Restaurants

and Victualling Establishments.

The Town Council of the Town of Warren hereby ordains that the Code of Ordinances, Town of

Warren, Rhode Island, is hereby amended and shall read as follows:

- a) It shall be unlawful for any person to consume alcoholic beverages from any type of a container while on or within the premises of a restaurant, victualling house, or any establishment engaged in the business of preparing food for consumption either on the premises or for take-out that has not been issued a valid liquor license by the Town Council.
- b) This section shall take affect upon passage.

O-3

Chapter 12 Motor Vehicles & Traffic,

The Town Council of the Town of Warren hereby ordains that the Code of Ordinances, Town of

Warren, Rhode Island, is hereby amended which shall read as follows:

Section 12-29. Left turn prohibited on certain street.

Miller Street: The driver of a vehicle shall not be permitted to make a left hand turn onto Miller Street from the south driveway of the business located at #375 Main Street between the hours of 7:00AM and 10:00 AM.

Section 12-30. Designated Fines.

Left Turn Prohibited \$35.00*

Section 12-58. Prohibited on certain streets.

Warren Town Wharf, west side of Water Street: from May 30th through September 1st of each year, parking is prohibited in areas of Warren Town Wharfs designated by "No Parking" signs. Vehicles bearing a valid Town issued permit or sticker may be allowed to park in the "No Parking" area.*

PUBLIC HEARING:

PH-1

Public Hearing to abandon portion of paper road (continued from June 12, 2007)

From: Brian M. Wales

17 Paquin Street

Warren, RI 02885

(Plat 8-Lot 62) Henry Street

PH-2

Zoning Ordinance Amendment to Flood Hazard Areas. (Continued from June 12, 2007)

Zoning Ordinance Amendment-Delete current Article XVII, in entirety and replace

with new Article XVII Special Flood Hazard Area and Fringe Lands.

PH-3

Public Hearing to Amend following Sections of Zoning Ordinance
Article XXI

Article XXI, Section 32-119(C): Revise requirements for change of use in Commercial Industrial Zone.

Article XXVIII, Section 32-165 (B), (H): Revise requirements for change of use in Rural Business Zone.

Article XXVIII, Section 32-166: Add to permitted uses in Rural Business Zone.

Article XIV, Section 32-82: Technical Change-clerical amendment to reference the proper section.

Article XIII, Section 32-77: Technical Change-clerical amendment to reference the proper section.

Article VII, Section 32-42 (K), (Q), (R): Include rezoned property in Special District.

Article XXVI, Section 32-147: Clarify property located within Waterfront District.

Article XV, Section 32-89: Revise requirements for obtaining relief from Wetlands and Water Bodies setback provisions.

Article XXIII, Section 32-130: Provide definition of "Shopping Center".

Article VIII, Section 32-53: Revise use chart.

Article IX, Section 32-60 & 32-61: Clarify applicability of certain ordinance provisions to apartment construction.

Article IX, Section 32-47: Revise use chart.

Article XIII, Section 32-79: Clarify applicability of certain ordinance provisions to apartment.

TOWN COUNCIL

Frank J. Alfano- Council President

1. Discussion and action regarding exempting of town entities from zoning/planning

regulations

2. Discussion and action regarding Affordable Housing Trust Fund

TOWN MANAGER

1. Request a motion for the Town Council to approve the contracts and authorize the

Council President to sign the contracts for the 2007 Summer Concert Series as follows:

July 11, 2007	Rippers	\$600.00
July 18, 2007	.East Bay Summer Wind Ensemble	. \$500.00
July 25, 2007	.Magnolia 9	750.00
August 1, 2007	Shananagans	\$750.00
August 8, 2007	Night Life Orchestra	\$710.00
August 15, 2007	Pegheads	\$600.00
August 19, 2007	Shot in the Dark	\$600.00
August 22, 2007	Black and White	\$550.00
August 29, 2007	Band of Brothers	. \$700.00

2. Request a motion for the Town Council to approve the contract and authorize

the Council President to sign the contract for \$1,600.00 for the use of the Bayside

Family YMCA swimming pool by the Warren Recreation Department for the

Summer Youth Program.

3. Request a motion for the Town Council to approve and to authorize

the Town Council

President to sign the lease agreement between the Town of Warren and Head Start.

4. Request a motion for Executive Session (closed session) Pursuant to 42-46-5 Sub

Section (a) (1), Personnel and Sub Section (a) (5) Property.

5. Request approval to over-spend \$1,000.00 in Council Contingency Account

1-01-14-1040-50.

6. Request approval to over-spend \$160.00 in Assessor's Part-Time Clerk Account

1-01-12-1011-14. The Assessor's Outside Services Account #1-01-1220-14 will cover

the overspending.

7. Request permission to send a formal request to the Rhode Island Clean Water

Finance Agency for funding from the State Revolving Funds for sewer projects

totaling \$350,000 as listed in the attached letter.

8. Request from the Town Manager to correct a budgeting error and increase the

Planner's salary by 3.5% or \$1,674.26 for the 2007-08 fiscal year.

Request council approval and acceptance of the Serpentine Road10% Engineering

Plans.

10. Request a motion for the Town Council to approve the contract and authorize

the Council President to sign the annual contract renewal for CapeGIS Consulting to update GIS data and offer assistance and on call services.

11.) Request approval to award bid for the Market Street Enhancement project to

LAL Construction Co. for \$259,265.89

TAX ASSESSOR:

2005 Abatement \$ 397.15

2007 Abatement \$ 843.94

2007 Addition \$ 476.47

TOWN CLERK

1. Request a motion for the Town Council to approve the lease and authorize the

Council President to sign the lease with Pitney Bows (Postage Machine).

2. Request permission to over-spend account 1-01-10-1130-00 Advertising \$2,300.

FINANCE DIRECTOR:

1. Request a motion for the Town Council to approve the contract and authorize

the Council President to sign the contract for computer support NE Information Sciences.

POLICE CHIEF:

1. Request approval to award bid for the purchase of Two (2) Police Sedans to MHQ

Municipal Headquarters for fifty-one thousand nine hundred seventy-four dollars (\$51,974).

SEWER DEPARTMENT:

1. Request authorization to reallocate unused money to fund the Asylum Road Pump

Stations upgrade work.

Account Description Balance
1-01-16-5120-32 Sewer Metering & \$70,000
Capacity Management
1-01-31-5026-32 I & I Sewer Repairs Design & PE \$40,000

2. Request permission to over-spend account 1-01-32-1040-32 -

Plant Operations
\$40,000.
FIRE CHIEF:
1. Approval to award bid for:
a.) Sale of 1993 Ford Crown Victoria (No Bids)
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HIGHWAY DIRECTOR:
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a.) Bituminous Concrete Paving & Full Depth Reclamation
b.) Used 33,000 GVW Dump Truck
c.) Curbing & Sidewalks
d.) Scale Management Software

e.) Request approval to award bid for the purchase of One (1) Diesel Powered

Roller to Pro Tool & Supply for \$28,750.

f.) Request approval to award bid for the purchase of 19000 GVW Dump Truck

to Colony Truck Center for \$47,818.

g.) Request to over-spend account 1-01-20-2060-20 Equipment & Vehicles \$8,000.

PETITIONS:

*P-1

Request for a Class F Beverage License

From: St. Jean Baptiste Church

324 Main Street

Warren, RI 02885

Date: August 19, 2007-Summer Clambake

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

*P-2

Request for a Class F Beverage License

From: Over the Hill Motorcycle Club

124 Water Street

Warren, RI 02885

Date: August 12, 2007- Clam Jam

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

*P-3

Request for a Class F1 Beverage License

From: Narragansett Fire Company #3 9(Vincent Calenda)

3 Vernon Street

Warren, RI 02885

Date: July 15, 2007- Clambake

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

*P-4

Request for a Class F Beverage License

From: St. Mary of the Bay Church

645 Main Street

Warren, RI 02885

Date: July 22, 2007-Annual Clambake

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

*P-5

Request for a Class F Beverage License

From: Warren Preservation Society

421 Main Street

Warren, RI 02885

Date: July 28, 2007- Clambake

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

*P-6

Request for a Class F Beverage License

From: Rough & Ready Fire Company #5

342 Metacom Avenue

Warren, RI 02885

Date: August 5, 2007- Annual Clambake

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

*P-7

Request for a Class F1 Beverage License

From: Somerset Progressive Club

139 Seaver Ave

Somerset MA 02726

Date: August 18, 2007 - Family Outing

Place: Pete Sepe Pavilion

P-8

Request for a Peddlers License

From: Christopher J. Feijo -Ocean State Grille

11 Milwaukee Avenue

Warren, RI 02885

OLD BUSINESS

OB-1

Warren Affordable Housing Advisory Board regarding the Implementation Plan. (Continued from June 12, 2007)

OB-2

Update from DPW Director on status of Paul Court

OB-3

Discussion and action on "No parking on the westside of Main Street north of Baker Street and south of Miller Street".

NEW BUSINESS

NB-1

Conservation Commission- regarding town property on Fatima Drive Plat 15-A-Lot 49 (110 Fatima Drive)

NB-2

Project Playground (2) Committee – Chairperson Cathy Tattrie